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CHAPTER II

## IN THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US) #3

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International Application No.	International Filing Date	Priority Date Claimed

SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR NEGOTIATING RESOURCE UTILIZATION

Title of Invention

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ATTENTION: EO/US

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS  
FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION ENTERING U.S. NATIONAL STAGE  
IN U.S. ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US) UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371

This replies to the Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.495 (FORM PCT/DO/EO/905).

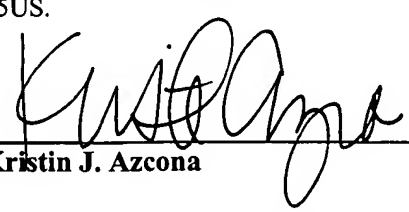
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## DECLARATION OR OATH

- I. No original declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

## FEES

### II.

1. Fees for claims

Each independent claim in excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. § 1.492(b))	\$0.00
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Each claim in excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. § 1.492(c))	\$9.00
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<b>Total Fees</b>	<b>\$9.00</b>
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- III. The proceedings herein are for a patent application. Accordingly, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

## TOTAL FEE DUE

- IV. The total fee due is:

Completion fee(s) for filing Declaration	\$65.00
Fee for Extra Claim	9.00

**TOTAL FEE DUE \$74.00**

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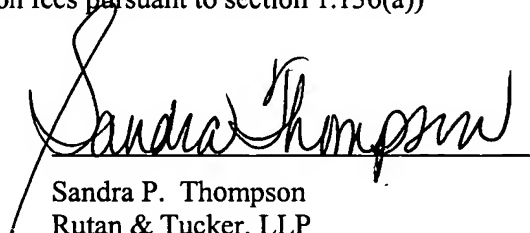
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## AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES

VII. Please charge, in the manner authorized above, the following additional fees that may be required by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application:

- \* 37 C.F.R. § 1.492(a)(1), 1.492(a)(4) (filing fees)
- \* 37 C.F.R. § 1.492(b), (c), and (d) (presentation of extra claims)
- \* 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (application processing fees)
- \* 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to section 1.136(a))

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Sandra P. Thompson", is written over a horizontal line.

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